

## C. & O. HAS PURCHASED C. C. & L. RAILROAD

Important Link for Coast to Coast

Trunk Line Acquired by  
Edwin Hawley.

### DEFINITE ANNOUNCEMENT MADE

Newport News is Now the Terminal  
of Through Route from Kansas City  
to Tidewater, According to New  
York Dispatch—Price of C. & O.  
Stock Rising.

According to a special dispatch re-  
ceived last night from New York, it  
was definitely announced in Wall  
street yesterday that the Chesapeake  
& Ohio Railway has purchased control  
of the Chicago, Cincinnati &  
Louisville railroad, thereby acquiring  
one of the most important links need-  
ed by Edwin Hawley and his asso-  
ciates to connect up the chain which  
is to form a great Atlantic-Pacific  
trunk line with Newport News as the  
Eastern terminal.

This purchase of the Chicago, Cin-  
cinnati & Louisville, with other re-  
cent acquisitions will give, it is said,  
the Hawley interests a complete line  
from Kansas City to Newport News.  
It has been reported frequently that  
this road would be added to the Haw-  
ley chain, but definite announcement  
of the purchase came yesterday for  
the first time. This probably adds  
something to do with the continued  
advance in the price of Chesapeake  
& Ohio stock, which was quoted on  
the exchange yesterday at a fraction  
above 88. Only about a year ago the  
stock was going begging at 23.

The New York special follows:  
"It has been officially made known  
that while he will be identified with  
the Hawley system, W. G. Bied, re-  
tiring general superintendent of the  
New Haven, will not displace P. H.  
Houlahan, general manager of the Al-  
ton-Clover Leaf, as was supposed, but  
will be general manager of the Minn-  
neapolis & St. Louis, a position made  
vacant by the resignation of M. B.  
Cutter. It is understood that owner-  
ship of the Minneapolis & St. Louis  
and the Iowa Central has been ac-  
quired by the Alton-Clover Leaf, as  
part of the program for making the  
Alton a through trunk line.

"By November 1 it is confidently  
stated, the combination will further  
include the Chicago, Cincinnati & Louis-  
ville as well as the Chesapeake &  
Ohio, thus establishing a system of  
5,000 miles.

### C. C. & L. Purchased.

"It was definitely announced in Wall  
street today that the Chesapeake &  
Ohio Railway Company has purchased  
control of the Chicago, Cincinnati &  
Louisville railroad. The purchase  
price is understood to be \$9,000,000  
which will be raised by an issue of  
preferred stock of the C. & O., the  
first part of this make-up is said to  
explain why Mr. Hawley and Mr.  
Shonts have been made respectively  
chairman of the directors and presi-  
dent of the Minneapolis & St. Louis  
and Iowa Central.

From Kansas City to Tidewater.  
"The Iowa Central connects with  
the Alton at Peoria. If the Chicago,  
Cincinnati & Louisville is acquired,  
the system will have a trunk line  
from the twin cities and Kansas City  
to Tidewater at Newport News in con-  
nection with the Chesapeake & Ohio  
railway, and why Mr. Hawley bought  
control of the latter becomes clearer."

## BARGE WEST VIRGINIA LOST; CREW RESCUED

Vessel With Coal Cargo Loaded Here  
Goes Down in Potlock  
Rip Slue.

(By Associated Press.)  
BOSTON, MASS., Sept. 30.—The  
foundering of the barge West Virginia,  
Newport News for Boston, with a car-  
go of 2,775 tons of coal, consigned to  
A. Gore & Son, of this city, in Pot-  
lock Rip Slue last night, was reported  
by the tug Marcell, when she ar-  
rived at this port today. The crew  
of the barge was saved, but the ves-  
sel probably will be a total loss.  
The West Virginia was owned by  
the Eastern Coal Company, of Provi-  
dence. She was valued at about  
\$20,000.

The West Virginia left here in tow  
of the tug Marcell several days ago  
after being loaded with cargo by the  
Chesapeake & Ohio Coal Agency Com-  
pany.

## MURDERER OF FAULLING GETS LIFE IN PRISON

Wife, Who Confessed Cause of Killing,  
Given Choice of Jail Sentence or  
Exile.

(By Associated Press.)  
HINESVILLE, GA., Sept. 30.—For  
the murder of William N. Faulling,  
Jr., at Walthourville, this county,  
Charles A. Gordon today was found  
guilty and sentenced to life imprison-  
ment. Mrs. Helen Faulling, wife of  
the slain man, who confessed the  
cause of the murder and was tried as  
a result of her confession of intimacy  
with Gordon, was given her choice of  
six months in jail or exile from  
Georgia. She chose exile and before  
the Gordon jury returned its verdict  
was on the way to Florida.

Rumor that relatives of Gordon  
would attempt a rescue should the  
verdict be adverse were apparently  
unfounded as there was no demon-  
stration.

Judge Paul Esterbrook, sentencing  
Gordon, told him he should feel grate-  
ful the sentence was no worse. Gor-  
don killed Faulling, the widow said,  
as a result of her husband's knowl-  
edge of her illicit relations with  
Gordon, the slayer fearing that he  
and the woman would be punished.

## GAYNOR NOMINATED FOR MAYOR OF NEW YORK

Tammany Has Everything Its Own  
Way in Democratic City Con-  
vention.

(By Associated Press.)  
NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—Justice  
William Jay Gaynor, of New York  
State Supreme Court, was tonight  
nominated for mayor of Greater New  
York by the Democratic city conven-  
tion.

The nomination was made with  
a great demonstration of enthusiasm  
and by an unanimous vote.  
Tammany had its own way at the  
convention, which inaugurated the  
Democratic campaign for control of  
the city government for the next four  
years.

## Farmer Found Dead.

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., Sept. 30.  
W. G. McNeal, a prosperous merchant  
and farmer of Wilkes county, was  
found dead on the street in North  
Wilkesboro at 3 o'clock this morning.  
He went there yesterday to attend  
the county fair. Foul play is sus-  
pected and the town and county offi-  
cials are investigating.

## TESTIMONY RULED OUT

Prosecution Scores Point in Trial  
of Prof. Harris.

(By Associated Press.)  
WARRENTON, VA., Sept. 30.—The  
prosecution in the trial of Prof. J. D.  
Harris, who is on trial for his life  
here for the murder of W. A. Thomp-  
son, associate editor of the Warren-  
ton Virginian, scored a point this af-  
ternoon when the court sustained an  
objection offered when the defense  
attempted to place on the stand in  
rebuttal Ex-Judge Shumate, foreman  
of the grand jury which indicted Har-  
ris.

It was stated that the defense ex-  
pected to prove by the witness that  
Irvin Maxheimer, one of the wit-  
nesses for the prosecution contradicted  
his testimony given before the  
grand jury when he stated that Har-  
ris had called to him to take Thomp-  
son away for fear of trouble which  
might result if he continued his ag-  
gression. The jury was ordered from  
the court room while counsel argued  
the admission of Maxheimer's testi-  
mony before the grand jury. During  
the argument a sharp tilt occurred  
between Commonwealth's Attorney  
Keith and Attorney McCormick.

When the court decided that Shu-  
mate could not testify the defense  
noted an exception.

No Verdict Before Saturday.  
Considerable progress was made in  
the trial today, but it was apparent  
when court adjourned this evening  
until tomorrow morning that a ver-  
dict could not be reached before Sat-  
urday.

Edith Anderson an eye witness of  
the tragedy testified for the defense  
in rebuttal that she did not hear Har-  
ris call for Maxheimer to take Thomp-  
son away.

W. C. Marshall, senior partner of  
(Continued on Sixth Page.)

## PRESIDENT TAFT WILL SUPPORT SHIP SUBSIDY

Something Must be Done to Build  
Up American Merchant Marine,  
He Declares.

(By Associated Press.)  
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hibition movement."

General Grant participated in the  
parade as an individual and not as  
anyway representing the army or the  
war department.

## PRESIDENT WATCHING CAMPAIGN IN VIRGINIA

Writes Congressman Sloop That He  
Is Intensely Interested in Local  
Political Situation.

(By Associated Press.)  
ROANOKE, VA., Sept. 30.—Con-  
gressman C. B. Sloop, state Republi-  
can chairman, has received a letter  
from President Taft in which the  
President says he has been watching  
with intense interest the campaign  
in Virginia, with the earnest hope, "that  
you are enlisting in behalf of the  
Republican candidate a large number of  
young and progressive men of the  
State, who, without abating in the  
slightest degree their pride in their  
section and its history are neverthe-  
less anxious to arraign themselves on  
the progressive side in politics, and  
who believes that by the success of  
the Republican party in Virginia and  
the selection of able and upright men  
for candidates upon the Republican  
ticket and their election the political  
condition in Virginia may be greatly  
improved."

Mr. Taft adds that he shall not re-  
turn to the East before the election,  
and that he writes the letter at the  
present time to express to Mr. Sloop  
his best wishes for a successful re-  
sult of the campaign.

## STEAMER ROOSEVELT IN NEW YORK HARBOR

Peary's Ship Arrives Just in Time to  
Participate in Hudson-Fulton  
Celebration.

(By Associated Press.)  
NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—Looking in  
outward appearance little like a ves-  
sel that has braved the ice and storms  
of the Arctic zone, the little steam-  
er Roosevelt which bore Commander  
Peary on his quest of the North Pole,  
entered New York harbor today. It  
was barely daylight when the look-  
outs described the vessel off Sandy  
Hook coming slowly.

Off the point of the hook the Roose-  
velt gave three triumphant screams  
of her siren and ran up the Peary  
Arctic flag at the mast head, then the  
flag of the New York Yacht Club at  
her fore and the American ensign at  
her mizzen.

Commander Peary's ship arrives in  
the nick of time to participate in the  
closing ceremonies of the Hudson-Ful-  
ton Celebration. She will take part  
in the naval parade which tomorrow  
will go up the Hudson as far as New-  
burg.

## "Long Live the King."

MADRID, Sept. 30.—The popular re-  
joicing which began in the capital last  
night over the victory of the Spanish  
forces in Morocco culminated at mid-  
night when immense crowds as-  
sembled before the Royal Palace,  
shouting: "Long Live the King." Ap-  
pearing on the balcony King Alfonso  
was wildly cheered.

## Rations for Flood Sufferers.

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 30.—By  
direction of the secretary of war  
General W. W. Witherspoon, acting  
chief of staff, today authorized the  
issue of twenty thousand short army  
rations to the cyclone sufferers in  
Terrebonne parish, Louisiana. This  
action was taken on the request of  
United States Senator Foster and  
Representative Broussard.

## Giles County Man Sentenced for Mur- der of Confederate Veteran.

(By Associated Press.)  
ROANOKE, VA., Sept. 30.—At  
Pearisburg, Giles county, today in  
the trial of Jacob Carper for the killing  
of Elson Thompson, the jury after  
being out one hour returned a verdict  
of murder in the second degree and  
fixed his term in the state prison at  
five years.

Thompson was a Confederate veter-  
an and the killing took place on the  
public highway several months ago.

## Peary to Lecture.

(By Associated Press.)  
LONDON, Sept. 30.—Commander  
Peary has accepted an invitation to  
lecture before the Royal Geographical  
Society in London. The date has not  
yet been fixed.

## SECRETARY DECLINES TO CRITICISE GEN. GRANT

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Was the Act of an Individual and  
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## Towns Suspend Business.

There was ample evidence today  
that whatever may be the interest in  
historic pageants and parades of mer-  
chant ships, past and present men-of-  
war, gold braid-bulges and the roll  
of the drums have lost none of their  
fascination for the great mass of the  
public. For the first time during the  
Hudson-Fulton celebration, all the  
small towns within striking distance  
of New York suspended business to-  
day to watch the parade pass the  
courts of honor, and the official re-  
viewing stand of the sailors and mar-  
ines of seven fighting nations, the  
regular soldiers, the bluejackets, the  
national guard and the naval militia  
of the United States and the police  
of New York city.

So many men representing so many  
branches of the war department of  
the world have not been seen on  
American streets before; so many  
wearing American colors have not  
been seen since the days of the Civil  
war. The total count of those in  
line today outnumbered the enlisted  
roll of the American regular army  
before the Spanish-American war.  
Four thousand four hundred police  
kept the crowd in line.

## Climax of Celebration.

Tonight marked the climax, so far  
as spectacles go, of the celebration in  
Greater New York. There remains  
the carnival parade, but though differ-  
ent in appearance it does not vary  
in essentials from the historical pa-  
geant of last Tuesday.

The alrship and aeroplane flights  
continue but the public has already  
had a first taste of them, and tomor-  
row morning sees the departure up  
the river of a part, at least, of the  
naval concourse, which more than any  
one thing has drawn the crowd and  
given the celebration international  
dignity.

The torpedo flotilla, submarines and  
naval auxiliary, with one of the light  
draught scout cruisers, followed by a  
parade of merchant craft will leave  
tomorrow to escort the Half Moon  
and the Clermont from their present  
anchorage to Newburg, where they  
will be formally turned over to the  
celebrations of Upper Hudson division,  
which will continue the festivities for  
a week to come.

## COTTON GIN DYNAMITED.

New Plant at Cerro Gordo Blown Up  
by Unknown Parties.

(By Associated Press.)  
PENSACOLA, FLA., Sept. 30.—  
Dynamite set off by unknown parties  
last night destroyed the cotton gin  
owned by John Gunn, at Cerro  
Gordo. The entire contents, includ-  
ing a large quantity of cotton and cot-  
ton seed was destroyed by fire. The  
gin is a new one, having been in  
operation only a few weeks. The  
dynamite had been placed under the  
machinery of the plant and the explo-  
sion shook the entire town. No mo-  
tive for the act is known.

## GREAT MILITARY PARADE CLIMAX OF CELEBRATION

Twenty-five Thousand Men March  
Before Representatives of  
Thirty-seven Nations.

(By Associated Press.)  
NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—Twenty-five  
thousand men of arms today marched  
past the massed representatives and  
special envoys of 37 nations while two  
million citizens shouted themselves  
hoarse in cheers. The great military  
parade was the climax of the Hud-  
son-Fulton celebration.

Although there were tremen-  
dous ovations for each body  
of American troops and un-  
stinted applause in overwhelming  
volume for the British sailors, the  
most conspicuous reception of the day  
went to the sailors of the German  
fleet, a picked body of magnificent  
men, who, as they reached the review-  
ing stand, fell into the formal slap-  
slap of the parade goose-step and  
burst into "My Country, 'Tis of Thee."  
With an overwhelming volume of bass-  
es, and a fervor which took away the  
breath of the listeners.

## TWO MILLION PEOPLE CHEER

All Towns Within Striking Distance  
of Metropolis Suspend Business on  
Account of Chief Event of Hudson-  
Fulton Program—Festivities Con-  
tinue For Week to Come Up River.

## SHOOTS HIS LIFE-LONG NEIGHBOR FROM BEHIND

Insanity Said to Have Been Reas-  
onable for Murder of Prominent  
Kentuckian.

(By Associated Press.)  
GLASGOW, KY., Sept. 29.—Morris  
Wilcoxson, who late yesterday after-  
noon shot and killed John W. Mont-  
gomery, Republican candidate for the  
legislature, a Union soldier and one  
of the most prominent men of this  
section, maintains an air of silence  
in the jail here, where he was lodged  
last night.

The families of both men attribute  
the tragedy to insanity, the men hav-  
ing been lifelong neighbors. Mont-  
gomery had gone to Wilcoxson's home  
on business, and while there he in-  
duced Wilcoxson to pool his tobacco.  
After the papers were signed Mont-  
gomery, Wilcoxson and another neigh-  
bor were seated in a room conversing  
when Wilcoxson arose and went up-  
stairs. In a few moments he return-  
ed with a shotgun and when with-  
in a few feet of his victim, who was  
looking in another direction, levelled  
the gun and fired, the charge taking  
effect in the back of Montgomery's  
head, killing him instantly.

## FULLER VOTED IN PRIMARY.

Richmond's Assistant Postmaster  
to Support Democratic Nominee.

(By Associated Press.)  
RICHMOND, VA., Sept. 30.—As-  
sistant Postmaster Fuller, so-called  
"Taft Democrat," politically speaking,  
is betwixt the devil and the deep blue  
sea.

While holding a position of emolu-  
ment under the Federal administra-  
tion, he is in honor bound to support  
the candidacy of Judge William  
Hodges Mann for governor of Vir-  
ginia, and to vote for all the Demo-  
cratic nominees for State offices in the  
forthcoming general election.

If he votes for the nominees of the  
party to which he owes his position  
he will violate his pledge and re-  
pudiate his promise. The pledge has  
thus been construed again and again  
by Democratic party leaders.

## Valuable Cotton Cargo.

(By Associated Press.)  
GALVESTON, TEXAS, Sept. 30.—  
One of the most valuable cotton car-  
goes that has ever left an American  
port was sent from here today to  
Liverpool aboard the Gulf Transport  
Line bark. She carried 26,873 bales,  
valued at \$1,300,000.

## BRYAN OPPOSES DEBATE

Think Joint Discussion With Bailey  
on Tariff Inadvisable.

## WOULD ACCENTUATE DIFFERENCES

Nebraskan Says He is Trying to Aid  
in Election of Democratic Congress,  
and Does Not Want Republicans to  
Dwell Upon Disunion.

## Interest in This City.

There was considerable interest  
here in the Roanoke election. The  
telephone bells in The Daily Press  
office were kept ringing constantly  
during the early part of last night  
by people who wanted to know the  
result.

Upon being told that Roanoke had  
gone "wet" by a majority of 69, Rev.  
E. T. Dammun, pastor of Trinity Meth-  
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ti-Saloon League, remarked, "Well,  
it seems they are determined to have  
state-wide prohibition."

## "Wets" Win at Rocky Mount.

ROANOKE, VA., Sept. 30.—A lo-  
cal option election in the Rocky  
Mount district of Franklin county to-  
day resulted in a victory for the  
"wets" by a majority of 3. There is  
but one saloon in the district. It is  
located at Rocky Mount and pays a  
license tax of \$4,000. The campaign  
was hotly contested.

## Knox County Votes "Wet."

VINCENNES, IND., Sept. 30.—Knox  
county voted "wet" in a local option  
election today. Forty-one of 43 pre-  
cincts in the county show a majority  
for the "wets," although returns from  
the two remaining county precincts  
may lower this majority slightly. The  
city of Vincennes voted "wet" by a  
majority of 1,709.

## EBY GOES TO PRISON FOR EIGHTEEN MONTHS

Former Mayor of Burkeville Sentenced  
For Attempting to Extort Money  
From Railroad.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 30.—Abra-  
ham C. Eby, former mayor of Burke-  
ville, Va., who was convicted recently  
of using the mails to extort money  
from the Pennsylvania Railroad Com-  
pany, was today sentenced to eighteen  
months in the government prison at  
Atlanta, and to pay a fine of one dol-  
lar.

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court.

Eby in letters to the Pennsylvania  
Railroad Company threatened the  
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was paid \$45,000. He was lured to  
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trial his counsel pleaded insanity as a  
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## ROANOKE VOTES TO KEEP LICENSED SALOON

"Wets" Win in Local Option  
Contest By Majority of  
Sixty-nine.

(By Associated Press.)  
ROANOKE, VA., Sept. 30.—Roanoke  
today in a local option election voted  
by a majority of 69 to retain the li-  
censed saloon. The "wets" carried  
three of the four wards and got a  
majority in all the precincts but two.  
The total vote cast was 3,219, of which  
the "wets" got 1,644, and the "drys"  
1,575.

## Election Judge Jailed.

Today Walter J. Camper, an elec-  
tion judge in Kimball ward, was ar-  
rested on a warrant charging him with  
irregularities. It was alleged that  
Camper did not deposit a ballot in the  
ballot box after it was given into his  
hands.

## He stoutly denied the charge, but was carried to jail and later was re- leased on \$500 bail.

## Lively Campaign.

The campaign conducted by the  
"drys" was very lively, including  
many public speaking, free use of the  
newspapers, a big torchlight parade,  
etc. On the other hand the "wets"  
conducted a gumshoe campaign. The  
Virginia Brewing Company issued a  
letter which was mailed to the voters,  
asking that the saloon be retained,  
claiming that should the city go "dry"  
it would mean the confiscation of their  
large plant.

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